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Progressives

In Parliament

Supplied by H. E. Spencer
Farm Member for Wainwright

Parliament has been dealing with the all-important subject of railway rates, which affects in a very serious manner the agricultural industry in all parts of Canada. To the west, this matter is of special importance, inasmuch as Parliament has been asked to pass upon the question of continuing the suspension of the Crows Nest Pass agreement, through which suspension the huge increases in rates during the last three years have been made possible.

As is well known, the Crows Nest Pass agreement was concluded between the C.P.R. and the Dominion Government in 1897, and in return for cash subsidies amounting to \$4,000,000, the company agreed to grant certain reductions in the freight rates on grain and flour moving eastward from points on the prairies to the head of the Lakes, and to grant certain reductions ranging from 10 to 23 per cent on a number of commodities shipped westward from points east of Port Arthur.

During the war, when it was found necessary to increase rates the existence of this agreement restrained the Railway Commission from raising them beyond a given point, and it was only through the action of the Government in suspending the Crows Nest Pass agreement under the powers conferred upon it by the War Measures Act that the very high rate increases of 1920 were made possible. But unless the agreement is further suspended after July 7th, when it naturally terminates, the rates will return to their pre-war basis, that is on a very large number of commodities.

The Government through negotiations with the railways endeavoured to effect a compromise on the basis of important reduction in the rates on basic commodities, but to this the railways would not agree until the question as to what would be done with the Crows Nest Pass agreement was settled. They contend that its serious reduction in their earnings.

The Government then asked the House to appoint a committee to enquire into the whole question of rates and to report to the House. When the subject came up, Mr. Meighen side-stepped the real question at issue, the further suspension of the Crows Nest Pass agreement, refusing to give Mr. Crerar a straight answer as to whether he favored its extension or not. He advocated taking the advice of the Railway Commission.

Mr. Crerar made a ringing declaration on this subject, coming out boldly against the further suspension of the Crows Nest Pass agreement. In this respect his attitude was in marked contrast to that of the Conservative leader. There was no side-stepping no dodging of the issue. He also showed conclusively that there could be no real prosperity as long as railway rates remain as high as they now are. The whole Dominion was

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Local Notes Of Interest

Mrs. Merle Mathieson who was severely burnt by the bursting of a can of gasoline is reported as improving.

Mr. Richard Newstead returned on Sunday after spending a few months in Ontario.

Mr. Harold Foxwell left Chauvin on Monday en route for Rosetown, where he has secured a position.

Miss Roberts returned to Chauvin last week after a visit to friends in Edgerton.

Mr. Geo. Reynolds who was under the weather for a few days is now recovered.

J. A. Suffren, Forest Officer of the Manitou Forest Reserve is in St. Paul's Hospital, Saskatoon, where he will undergo an operation on the nose. We hope he will soon recover.

The Prize Lists of the Chauvin Agricultural are in the hands of the printer, and we expect that they will be ready for distribution by the end of next week.

About one hundred trees from Mr. Cargill's nurseries have been planted by citizens of Chauvin in their gardens during the past week.

Mr. R. H. Greenwood, of Paradise Valley, was one of Chauvin's business visitors Monday afternoon.

A walk around Chauvin reveals that considerable care has been given to the gardens and house lots. Much work has been done this spring, and the town is entitled to take pride in its work—and continue same.

Mr. Murray, the genial hardware (hardware, we had almost said) informs us that he spent the sabbath in the city of Butze.

Sparks from the chimney of the W. Petrie house ignited the woodpile standing against the wall. Fortunately it was observed in time, and after a somewhat strenuous struggle all danger was averted.

The Imperial Oil Co. have instructed their Chauvin agent to give a credit of \$7.50 for each steel barrel returned to the Chauvin depot. This amount is given as a credit on the next purchase. Those having spare barrels would be well advised to avail themselves of this offer while it is still good.

The Westminster Ladies Auxiliary held an enthusiastic meeting last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dr. H. G. Folkins. It was decided to give a Baked Bean Supper with brown bread, pies, etc., tea and coffee on Saturday May 27th. The proceeds to be devoted to the funds of the Westminster church. Further details to be announced later.

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Manitou Lake

Council Meeting

Meeting of the Council held in the Municipal Hall Marsden, Sask. on the 10th day of May, 1922.

PRESENT

Reeve Chapman; Councillors Wells, Lawson, Smith and Mitchell.

MINUTES

Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

BANKING RESOLUTION

It was resolved whereas it is expedient to raise by way of loan the sum of \$21,000.00 required to meet the current expenditures of the corporation of the Rural Municipality of Manitou Lake No. 442 that the council enacted as follows:

1. That it shall and may be lawful for the Reeve and Treasurer of the Municipality and they are hereby authorized and empowered to borrow from the bank of Montreal, Chauvin, Alta. the sum of 21,000.00 for the purpose aforesaid.

2. That the said Reeve and Treasurer are hereby authorized and empowered on behalf of the Rural Municipality of Manitou Lake No. 442 to sign and execute, as representing such advance, under the Corporate Seal of the said Municipality and deliver to the Manager of the Bank of Montreal, Chauvin, Alta. the promissory note, or notes, of the said Municipality payable at the office of the said bank in Chauvin, Alberta on the 31st day of December, 1922, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, and also, to execute in like manner renewals thereof, in whole or part, until such advances are fully repaid.

Done and passed in council at Marsden, Sask. this 10th day of May, 1922.

SCHOOLS

Chapman—That the S.E. 3-43-28 w3rd. be added to Stanmore School District. Carried.

CROSSINGS

The Secretary was asked to write to the Board of Railway Commissioners asking for a crossing near mile 627 and another near mile 626 on the G.T.P. west of the station of Artland.

TAX SALE 1919

The Secretary was instructed to apply for title to the 1919 Tax Sale lands, still unpaid, on the 22nd of June 1922.

DIVISION 3, ROADS

Moved that Div. 3 be allowed \$100 from the General Roads funds for the strawing of Artland road. Carried.

DIVISION 2, ROADS

Chapman—That the councillor for Div. 2 fix up the road west of Sections 29 and 32-45-26 w3rd. Carried.

MANITOU CEMETERY

Lawson—That the Councillor for Div. 2 fix the approach entrance to Manitou Cemetery and also that he grade the driveways and place gates as agreed upon on the east and north sides of the cemetery. Carried.

POUNDS, DIVISION 5

Mitchell—That Mr. Nattress be poundkeeper in Division 5 provided he makes a legal fence of not more than 160 acres. Carried.

HOSPITAL

A letter having been received from the Lashburn and District Hospital regarding fees for hospital attendance and also bills having been submitted at the price quoted in the letter, the

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Mrs. M. Mathieson Is Very Severely Burned

Mrs. Merle Mathieson was the victim of what might easily have proved a fatal mishap. A can of gasoline standing near the kitchen stove in some manner, not known, became ignited. Mrs. Mathieson promptly carried the burning can outside, and in so doing her clothes became ignited. She received serious burns from her waist downward and on her shoulder. But for her prompt action the house would have been a total loss.

After receiving attention Mrs. Mathieson was taken to the home of her mother, Mrs. Pierce, who is nursing her.

Airlie Defeats Chauvin

A friendly game of baseball was played on the Chauvin grounds Saturday evening between scratch teams representing Airlie and Chauvin. It was apparent that both teams need some real good hard practise, there being material worth the effort. The game finished in favor of the visitors from Airlie.

Early Closing In Chauvin Stores

Commencing with Wednesday, May 31st we the undersigned agree to close our various places of business at 12 o'clock from the above mentioned date until and including August 9th.

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A. C. Gifford
J. A. MacKenzie
Tom H. Saul

Crop Notes

The rain fall during the past week has been heavy and accompanied by a few snow flurries. The weather has been on the cool side with two light frosts at night. Growth is reported to have been slow during this period, and at time of writing much of the wheat is standing at six inches high—some reported to be 8 inches high—possibly it would be safer to state that the wheat generally averages four inches. Ample moisture for three weeks is now in the ground.

Horses and cattle are doing well with pasture growing rapidly.

Business Changes

H. Plouffe has opened a garage at the rear of the Union Bank Building. He has several jobs on hand at the present time, and hopes to be of service to the car owners of the district.

A delightful half hour can be spent at J. P. Fisher's Ice Cream Parlor.

Professor Smith on Plowing Matches

Even the most ardent plowman in the contention might have been forgiven for thinking that taking part in a plowing match was alright, but to sit and listen to a Professor talking about it wasn't the same thing at all. As for the rest of us we quite openly decided that we'd have to grin and bear its dullness. But scarcely had the youthful professor got away to a good start than we sat up and took notice, for if he wasn't making his 'cut and dried' subject as exciting as a witnessing the real thing, and before he got through even the ladies were playing match fans.

Perhaps the secret of it all was that he himself is an enthusiast for good plowing and enthusiasm is catching. For he has himself held the handles and ridden the plow to victory on many a keenly contested field, and the thrill of the contest could be felt right through his address—The professor in him was entirely swamped by the real workday knowledge of the personality behind it, that of a man who has done well whatsoever his hand found to do, and enjoyed the doing of it.

As he put it wheather bedding down the horses for the night or drawing a straight furrow the man that won out was the man who put his best work into the task. Incidentally we found that the first man he worked for when he came to Alberta was our well-known exhibitor in the Edgerton district, Mr. Dunlop, of whom he still speaks with a warm regard.

He began his address with the quotation that 'Civilization begins and ends with the plow,' then went on to tell of plows and plowmen past and present whose skill at holding the handles had made a plowing match more exciting than a baseball, or rugby game, and had elevated the profession of plowing to a fine art. The men who had taken so much pride in drawing a straight furrow, making a scientific break, and turning a good looking end rig that weariness was unknown to them. He spoke of the plowing match scenes in Hall Caines' novel The Deemster, and S. R. Crockett's Strong Mac with extracts from the latter.

He visualised the scene,—The three judges walking importantly around in the 'soft droopy mist' pride in their port,—a flush on their cheeks.

'The half of which was pride o' place. The other half was—malt!'

the competition grand known as the Benty Rigs where the Holm burn joined the Lowran Water,—the massive work horses with shining harness and silver buckles, with gay ribands on forelock mane, and elegant plaited tail, the keen cutting plow share set to a nicety, and the whole guided by the keen-eyed plowmen,—ready—resourceful—dashing and cautious, all at once,—“those pilots of the dry land, those dauntless navigators of the red streaming furrow.” It was the single handed open competition for the Silver Cup, presented by the Laird o' Lowran; and big Sandy McEwan was in a fair way to carry off the cup frae Lowran that it had held for 20 years. Besides the fact that big Sandy was no favorite with the Lowran lads, there was the added

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Professor Smith on Plowing Matches

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drawback that he was a Kirkanders' man, and would crawl' as Jock Fairlies put it A' the days o' his life if he won the cup o' Lowran."

The story tells how Strong Mac,—a Lowran school laddie—played truant for the afternoon and arrived in time to save the honor o' Lowran district, by winning the cup from the over-confident Big Sandy. Then having done so Strong Mac goes back to the little school to get the punishment reserved for all such as play truant, the carrying out of which is an interesting story in itself, but unfortunately we can't find any excuse for weaving it into this report. Coming down to statements the professor said that as far back as 1801 there were records of premiums being given to plowmen in Scotland and records of matches still further back. But enthusiasm for these matches was not confined to the Old Land, for last year at Woodstock down in Old Ontario a crowd of 55000 people had witnessed one of the most exciting plowing matches that had ever been staged in Canada, while last year the plowing match in Portage La Prairie was the best they had had in 21 years..

He had been present at matches in the U.S. which were just as enthusiastic and keenly contested as any farming.

Especially is it good in the case of those just starting out to learn farming. Straight plowing becomes a habit with them and the necessity of making a good break and leaving a neat end furrow makes for a system of farming at once more scientific and more profitable. It teaches the boy how to drive horses to get the most out of them with the least wear and tear on horse and man and plow. In regard to the last a beginner will learn more of the benefits of a properly adjusted plow than he will in a month of plowing any old way. In short to put it professional, it inoculates the young competitor with the germ of good craftsmanship, from which comes pride and interest in our work.

Societies contemplating having a question in the winter so that there would be lots of time to perfect their plans.

He gave a few suggestions to make the match a success. One of these in Scotland the home of the plowing match idea. The expressions of approval or disapproval used by the fans meant the same thing, the only difference lay in—ahem their way of saying it, and of course unless as a novelty the prize furrow was not drawn by an expert behind the handles, as by one on the plowseat.

But while the plowing match is an enjoyable affair, for the thrills and excitement it gives to plowman and spectators alike, yet the big idea back of it is to inspire an interest in better plowing, in the interest of better crops, and up to date methods of live committees and a good community spirit. (2) A good field, well staked out, so that when the match was over the field wouldn't look zebra striped and cause the kind farmer who had offered his field to croak like E. A. Poe's raven 'never more.' (3) Each competitor do a reasonable amount of plowing, such as:— walking plow 1/2 an acre sulky plow 1 acre, gang plow 10 acres. (4) The prize list should be attractive. If a silver cup was offered it should have to be won three times before being finally won. Silver medals suitably inscribed and prize ribbons for the championships. Old experienced plowmen should not compete against amateurs. There should be a class for both. (5) A carefully prepared list of rules which should be explained to each competitor. (6) Uniformity in judging, that is to say so many points for straight plowing, so many for finish, turning, etc.

The professor here produced a diagram of a field staked out for plowing and showing just how much each man would have to do to cover the ground between himself and the next competitor to avoid the zebra effect. He stated that the Department of Agriculture would give a grant to plowing matches on the same basis as fairs up to the sum of \$200.00.

This statement was received, with much enthusiasm by the delegates, which kept demanding more of the blythe young professor, Mr. H. A. Craig deputy minister, promised to have the address put out in bulletin form, so that they could satisfy themselves on every point under his discussion and enjoy its fine points all over again.

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Letters To The Editor

The Wheat Board

Chauvin, May, 9th 1922,
Editor Chauvin Chronicle,
Dear Sir:—

I regret that Mr. Max Campbell should take a wrong meaning of my motive in regard to the Canada Wheat Board, and accuse me of trying to damage Mr. Crerar's reputation. This accusation is founded purely on imagination.

In regard to the wheat board and wheat pool schemes, I make no secret of the fact that I objected to signing a five year contract when the farmers wheat pool was under discussion in 1920 and stated freely that it had to be a voluntary pool or nothing. I still hold that opinion. I didn't join the crowd and shout for the re-instatement of the old compulsory Wheat Board.

When you talk of voluntary co-operative schemes, I have no objection. In fact I would like to see it come to pass. A voluntary pool gives the individual the right to join the pool or not. It gives him the right to sell a portion of his grain or all of it, in the fall, if he badly needs the money, and it gives him the right to entrust all his grain, or a portion of it to a board composed of honest capable men, whose duty would be to give the consignor a cash advance on the grain consigned, then sell it, to the best advantage and give everyone consigning grain an equal or pooled price at the end of the season. This arrangement is not a radical departure from the present marketing system, in fact it is near enough I believe to get the co-operation of the bank, who by the way figure in strongly on wheat marketing.

Read this opinion:

The opinion, which is drafted by E. L. Newcombe, K.C., the deputy minister of justice, and is endorsed both by the minister of justice and the solicitor-general, is that the establishment of a Wheat Board with compulsory powers, while it was not challenged as a war measure, is outside the authority of the federal parliament, inasmuch as it transgresses

the powers of the provinces, touching contracts and matters of local or private interest within provinces.

The opinion adds that there is no doubt about the federal parliament's authority to set up a board capable of voluntarily desire to entrust to its hands the marketing and distribution of their wheat, but that as the old board had compulsory powers to take wheat, to fix prices, and to prevent private trading without its consent, similar powers could not now be conferred upon a board to be created by parliament.

E. B. LANG

Victoria Day Will Be Observed Locally

Victoria day will be celebrated in Chauvin by a baseball tournament. At 3 p.m., Ribstone will give battle to the Chauvin team; and at 6.30 the Airlie team will meet Chauvin. Later a dance will be given in the I.O.O.F. hall at which music will be supplied by the Chauvin Orchestra. The program is being arranged for the day by the Chauvin Athletic Association; and we all look for a good time on this occasion. Remember the date, Wednesday, May 24th.

Church Notices

WESTMINSTER CHURCH CHAUVIN

EVERY SUNDAY

Chauvin Sunday School .. 11 a.m.
Chauvin Service 7.30 p.m.

SUNDAY, MAY 21st 1922

Prosperity 11 a.m.
Airlie 3 p.m.

SUNDAY, MAY 28th 1922

Edinglassie 11 a.m.
Killarney 3 p.m.

EGLISE DU SACRE COEUR CHAUVIN

Basse Masse 8.30 a.m.
Grande Masse 10.30 a.m.
Rev. Pere Huet Curate

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SUNDAY

Sunday School 1 p.m.
Preaching Service 2 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Social Service 7.30 p.m.

RIBSTONE FIELD

SUNDAY, MAY 21st 1922

Bloomington Valley 11 a.m.
Prospect Valley 3p.m.

Ribstone 7.30 p.m.

SUNDAY, MAY 28th 1922

Green Glade 11 a.m.
Sulphur Springs 3 p.m.

La Pearl 7.30 p.m.

All cordially Welcomed

Preacher .. Rev. William Mitchelson

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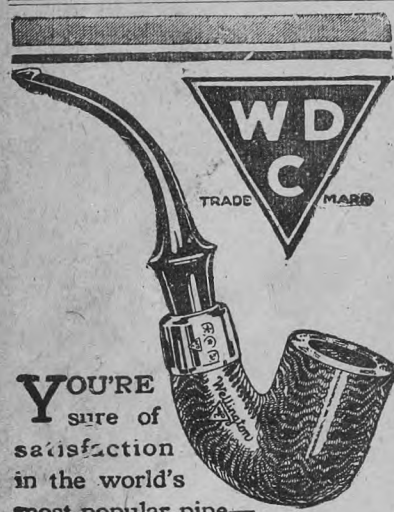
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Mothers Day Service Presentation At Rib- Stone Union Church

A special service was held at Ribstone Union Church on Sunday May 7th in commemoration of Mothers' Day. The service throughout was inspiring and uplifting. Misses Dominy and Price, and Mr. Dell sang "Answer Mother's Prayer" with great expression. "Tell Mother I'll be There" being excellently rendered by the choir, the congregation joining in the chorus. Mrs. Pound presided at the organ Miss Price and Mr. Pettit also assisted with the music.

Thanks are due to the Ladies Aid for the beautiful and artistic way in which the decorations had been arranged. Each person, as they entered the church had a bow of pink or white ribbon given them in the place of flowers which are so expensive.

After the service Mrs. Crittenden, accompanied by the members of the Ladies Aid waited upon their minister Mr. Mitchelson. Mrs. Crittenden in the name of the Ladies presented him with a handsome enlarged picture, size 10x17, of the members of the Society. In making the presentation she said in effect:

In presenting you with this picture we wish to express how much we appreciate your work and services among us, and the great pleasure and help it gives us to work along with you, for with God's help you are doing a great work.

Mr. Mitchelson in replying said: This is one of the many gifts with which you have honored me with during the past two years, and I feel unworthy of all the esteemed kindness which you have shown to me. I feel grateful to God for such a grand company of women who are willing to work and co-operate with God and his servant for the advancement of his cause in this the great North West. The work is growing and advancing, and so long as we keep Christ in front of us it will continue to do so. Soon we hope to have a home we can call our own. The house of God, where His honor dwelleth.

In my study these faces shall always produce an inspiring influence and trust and a noble confidence in God.

Teachers Permits Are No Longer Renewable

Permit teachers will soon be a thing of the past, declares Hon. Perrin Baker, minister of education. Though there are about 200 permits now in existence, these have been granted only until the middle of April. About 500 new teachers will be available from the Normal Schools this season.

Grasshopper Notes

Farmers and municipalities are entering vigorously into the campaign to combat the grasshoppers and organizations have been effected in many districts. Large supplies of poison bait mixtures are being shipped out by the agricultural department, and, there is every prospect of a determined effort to deal with the grasshoppers when they do appear.

Why Bacon Standards Set The Hog Grades

Canadian Trade Depends on
"Wiltshire Sides" for Export

It is not farmers nor promoters of breeds who set the standard for bacon hogs. The last and final judges of bacon are the consumers—the unseen millions of them. Therefore the last and final judges of what constitutes a bacon hog are the men who have to prepare the bacon for the consumers. Talk about well defined bacon types is not mere theorizing; it is the hard outcome of a long train of business events in which the farmer producer is only one factor.

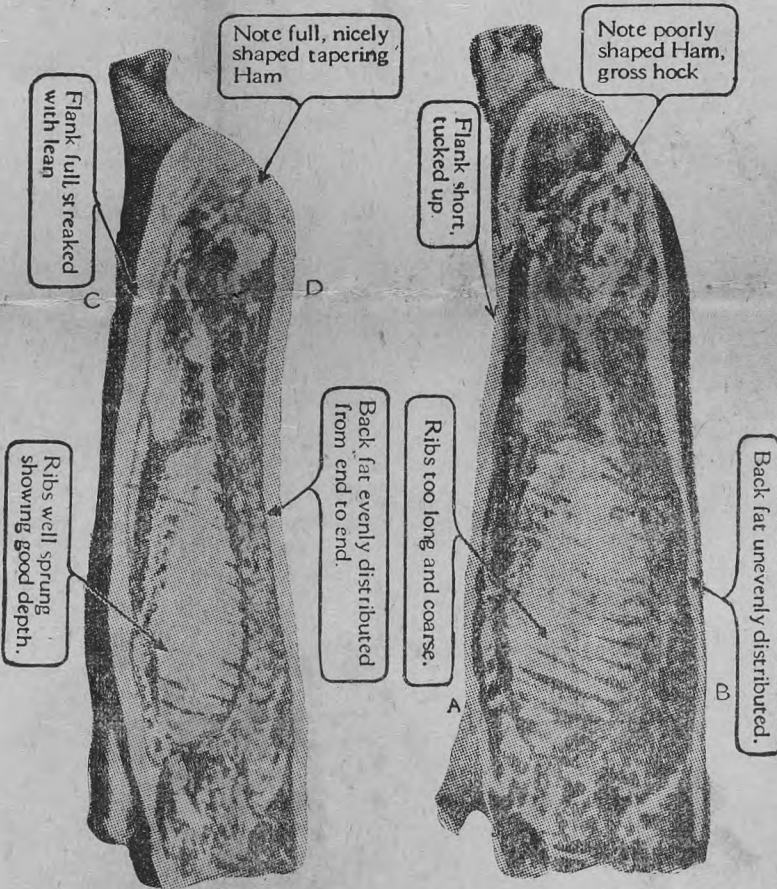
which class a side of bacon may go. An understanding of the points will be helped by reference to the second diagram giving a Wiltshire side marked to show the approximate retail prices paid in Great Britain for the different cuts of Canadian bacon. The portions within the heavy line, it will be seen, yield the highest prices.

Now refer again to the good side in the first illustration and see the importance of having a even-backed hog on which the fat is regularly distributed from one extremity to the other. Note the prices for this portion as given in the diagram. Observe that the shoulder and neck portion are not heavy. This will explain why the Government Hog Conference at Ottawa last November decided, taking the experience of the meat trade over many

Good and Poor Wiltshire Sides Compared

A GOOD SIDE

A POOR SIDE



Sectional cuts from the above sides



We will trace back the bacon from a Canadian hog so as to understand the why and the wherefore of the campaign to raise the national industry to a level of the best paying markets.

Canadian bacon is exported in the form of Wiltshire sides, of which two are illustrated in the accompanying picture. This is a trade term for practically one-half of the carcass. If a Wiltshire side is not of the proper weight, the right shape, with the desired ratio of fat and lean that the British buyer wants, it cannot bring the highest price. And there is almost as much difference in Wiltshire sides as there is in wools.

The accompanying illustrations will make the requirements for Wiltshires quite plain. The good side (on the left) will especially repay close study. It shows, as it were, opened out and laid bare for inspection, the several points which ultimately decide into

years, that for a select hog the jowl and shoulders should be light and smooth and the back from neck to tail evenly fleshed. Notice that in the poor Wiltshire side (on the right) the neck and shoulder (across from A to B) are far heavier and that there is a coarseness about the ribs which goes to make the side less desirable. Turn once again to the diagram and note the prices for the belly cuts, a brief comparison of these will make it obvious why the conference decided that the side of a premium hog must be long, of medium depth and dropping straight from the back. The reader in comparing the two sides illustrated an attractive neatness and evenness of conformation about the one that is quite lacking in the other.

Both illustrations are from recognized bacon-type hogs. Had the poor side been cut from a non bacon breed the Duroc Jersey, Poland China, Chester White, or other thick, stumpy

type, the defects would have been of a different character, but still more marked. The meat manufacturers' demand for a hog to suit the requirements of the best market is sound business, based upon conditions that must be met if, nationally, Canada, is to "come back" in profitable hog production.

Bacon Cuts And Prices

This outline of an export "Wiltshire side" of bacon gives in simple form the plain arithmetic of hog buying. It shows the parts of the carcass from which the English bacon curer gets various cuts of meat for resale. It will be seen that the highest priced cuts lie within the section heavily lined. The figures given are approximate retail prices in cents per pound for Canadian bacon on the British market today; they must not be taken as exact, but they show the proportionate value of the different

28/30	
28/33	34/40
15/20	34/36
30/36	36/40
33/35	36/40
33/35	36/40
17/21	24/30
17/21	24/30

parts. For instance the lowest priced cut is that lying between the flank and the lower part of the ham. It retails from 15 to 20 cents per pound. The back bacon and the ham however range in price from 34 to 40 cents up to 36 to 40 cents. These choicer parts of the hog are naturally those to which the packers' buyer first looks when he enters a pen. It is the right balance and conformation of these parts within the right weights—and of course with right quality and finish—which go to make a "select" bacon hog.

Produce Merchants To Be Licensed

Arrangements are now being made by the department of agriculture for the carrying out of the provisions of the new act requiring the licensing of produce merchants of the new act. Announcement will be made shortly of the provisions by which this act will be administered, and of those who will be required to obtain a license.



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NOTICE TO "FIREFLY"

It is absolutely necessary that all correspondence be vouched for by the signature of the writer. A "nom-de-plume" is permitted at the foot of the letter as published. We will be happy to publish your letter, if you will vouch for same with your signature..

EDITOR.

Editorial Comment

A BUNCH OF THIEVES

It's really surprising what a number of thieves there are in this district. It does seem that every other person in our midst is a thief. We mean to say that many a person who would never in a life time rob any one of his neighbours of any thing of material worth, will seldom hesitate to rob their neighbour of their moral worth, or reputation.

"OLD BILL" AND JUST "JANE"

It is most surprisingly easy to speak belittlingly of one's neighbour. We think of them as "Old Bill," and just "Jane", and after a while they become a little less than ordinary folk to us.

ADVERTISE—IT PAYS

DAMNED FOR EVER

As if this was not enough we talk of their little faults, even if the same are ten years old.

Should they ever make any radical errors, or commit some crime, we damn them for life, by a complete memory of the same duly supplemented by a conglomeration of gossip added thereto.

AND ON THE OTHER HAND

On the other hand we glorify those who for any purpose come into our midst from the outside. We listen to their words, we praise their manners, and generally give them a liberal share of our thanks and applause.

Sometimes we are tempted to believe that the only way for the ordinary member of our community to get honor is to go elsewhere—and not stop too long.

UP OR DOWN?

Why continue to hold each other down in a social and moral sense. We are, it is true, just ordinary people, with ordinary faults and ordinary virtues; and by virtue of this we are about as good as those in other districts.

We would be a whole lot happier if we saw the best in each other, talked about and remembered it,—and maybe we would be a still better bunch.

Stickholders in private banks in Sweden must be native Swedes.

Local Notes Of Interest

Mr. and Mrs. M. McCrea of Ribstone were visitors to Chauvin, on Tuesday.

Mr. T. Radford and family have returned to this district from the Drumheller district. They intend to remain in our midst. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carter.

Mothers Day, was duly observed in Chauvin on Sunday last. Nearly everyone was wearing a pink or white flower, in honor of their mother. A special sermon was preached at Westminster church by Rev. Millar at the evening service.

Acetylene Welding and every description of motor and engine repair work promptly done by J. Rinde, at Code's garage, Chauvin.

The annual synopsis of legislation passed at the session of the legislature has been completed by John D. Hunt, law clerk of the legislature, and has been printed in pamphlet form.

The basketball team were unable to get a rig on Monday evening to convey them to Edinburg, and were all very much disappointed at missing their game.

BUYING FIGS

Jones hurrying home from business, remembered his promise to bring back some figs.

He turned into the nearest fruit-shop, and was confronted by a very pretty girl.

"What can I get you, sir?" she asked.

Jones, always of a nervous disposition, especially so when in the presence of the fair sex, hastily voiced his order.

"Half a pound of pigs' fleas!"

And to this day he can never make out why the young lady blushed and retired so hurriedly.

TRUTH WILL OUT

Two newly married couples lived next door to each other, and strange to say, both men were named "John," and both ladies named "Alice."

One husband died soon after his marriage, and the other had to go to India on business.

Shortly afterwards a cablegram came, and was delivered by mistake to the widow, who, on opening it, read: "Just arrived; heat terrible!"

Reductions Made In Fair Prize Lists

Following a decision by the executive of the Alberta Fairs Association a special committee of the executive

has just completed work on a standard prize list for all fairs in the C. D. and E. classes, which will reduce to a certain extent, by elimination of duplications, the amount of prize money paid out at fairs. This standard prize list has been issued by the superintendent of fairs in pamphlet form and sets out the conditions under which it will be administered. Maximums are fixed as follows:

C class maximum for horses and cattle, first prize \$15. for sheep and swine first prize \$8.

D class maximum for horses and cattle first prize \$10, for sheep and swine, first prize \$5.

E class maximum for horses and cattle, first prize \$8. for sheep and swine, first prize \$4.

In addition to the elimination of many duplications regulations have also been approved which provide that no grant shall be paid for poultry ter poultry shows are also held, that no grant shall be paid for poultry exhibits at summer fairs where winter poultry shows are also held, no prizes should be offered for threshed grains at summer fairs. Sheaf grain only should be recognized, grants may be forfeited in cases of fairs permitting objectionable games or immoral exhibitions on the grounds during fairs.

Assorted Cookies, Doughnuts, Muffins and Pies for sale every day at Chauvin Bakery.

Womens Institute Work To Continue

Miss Jessie McMillan, late of Aberdeen, Scotland, holder of several certificates as health worker and lecturer, is to be the new director of extension work among women's societies of the province. Announcement of her appointment has been made by Hon. George Hoadley, Minister of agriculture.

Miss McMillan is to fill the new post created under the recent amendments to the Women's Institutes act, whereby extension work previously carried on by the Women's Institutes branch will be enlarged to include other women's organizations, and whereby there will be a director for the entire work. She will assume her duties at once. Already a large array of work faces her, for since the new amendments to the act, applications for extension work have been pouring in and the staff is now engaged in arranging the itinerary for the summer and fall.

Miss McMillan is a native of Scotland having been educated in Edinburgh, where she was a graduate of the Heriot Watt college and the Edinburgh school of domestic economy. She holds first class certificates in hygiene, in physiology, in ambulance work, in home sick nursing, in sick room cookery, in fever disinfectants,

Cream Shippers—Read This

After May 8th All Cream will be graded by the Provincial Government at Wainwright Creamery

THEREFORE SHIP YOUR CREAM TO THE NEAREST CREAMERY TO BE SURE TO GET THE HIGHEST GRADE—YOUR CREAM WILL BE GRADED IN LESS THAN TWO HOURS AFTER LEAVING YOUR STATION.—THAT WILL MEAN TO YOU A BETTER GRADE AND MORE MONEY. WE PAY THE EXPRESS ON YOUR CREAM AND RETURN YOUR EMPTY CANS PREPAID. YOUR CREAM IS PAID FOR BY BANK MONEY ORDERS MAILED TO YOU THE NEXT DAY

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BATTERIES RECHARGED—\$2.50

I. E. COLLETTE, Prop. Chauvin, Alta

"EVERYTHING TO EAT"

Announcement

In response to the request of a number of our customers we have stocked our shelves with a

Full Range of Groceries

It will be our aim to supply Groceries of the Highest Quality and at the most moderate price. To do this, however, it will be necessary to maintain a Strictly Cash Basis, to enable us to save you money.

We will, of course, maintain at its highest standard our well-established Butcher business, and continue to supply the Choicest Meats, Fish, Poultry and Vegetables.

It is, in fact, our aim to supply you with the Best of "EVERYTHING TO EAT"

Parcels & Foxwell, Chauvin

WATCH FOR OUR SATURDAY SPECIALS

"Chauvin Chronicle" WRITING TABLET 60 Sheets .25c

THE BEST VALUE OBTAINABLE FOR THE MONEY. Taking page 291 of the current T. Eaton's catalogue, as a standard of value we decided to put a writing tablet on the market to meet this. Not finding it possible to buy through the wholesale channel any suitable line, we studied the paper markets and were ultimately successful in obtaining the materials at prices which enabled us to give you this wonderful bargain. A full 60 sheet count for 25c MANUFACTURED IN CHAUVIN. Canadian made paper is used for the writing pad, and as much of the cover material as was to be obtained at a price which enabled us to compete.

The Chauvin Chronicle
"THE COUNTRY HOME OF GOOD PRINTING"

Notice to the Public

George Tessier wishes to announce to the Public that he has now opened an

ICE CREAM PLANT IN CHAUVIN

SPORTS & PIC-NICS SUPPLIED WITH ICE CREAM on a week's notice Ice Cream will also be packed in Half- and One-gallon Lots for Family and Party use. The best local dairy products always used. Every Gallon Guaranteed. Your Patronage Solicited

GEORGE TESSIER, Main Street, Chauvin

and in diets. She holds also certificates from the Central Midwives board, and from the Royal Sanitary Institute of Edinburgh; a first class diploma as a popular health lecturer, and a similar diploma on sick nursing. For several months she was hospital nurse at Stirling Infirmary, Scotland where she took special training work among women and children. In 1906 she became senior visitor for the health board of Aberdeen, Scotland, where she organized the visiting work among mothers and newly born infants. For some time also she was lecturer for the social and sanitary society of Edinburgh. Miss McMillan is also author of a manual for use of health visitors, with a foreword written by Sir William Osler, who paid tribute to Miss McMillan's qualifications.

Credentials which Miss McMillan brings, includes several from the national council of the Y.W.C.A., with which she was engaged for some time as secretary of the ocean travelling staff, and also from Dr. Matthew Hay, medical officer of health and professor of forensic medicine in Aberdeen, Scotland. Other credentials come from the medical board of Oxford, England, with which Miss McMillan was engaged for some time.

The new appointee is a newcomer to this province and has been residing in Edmonton for the past few months. Hon. Geo. Hoadley, in announcing the appointment, declared that he believed the government had obtained a woman eminently qualified to fulfil a responsible position.

The work of the women's institutes will be continued as in the past, declares Hon. Mr. Hoadley, save with respect to the cost of the annual convention. In addition to this, however the extension work of the department is to be enlarged and extended to other women's societies so that many touch with the educational propaganda in home economics and many other features touched by the department. Miss Evelyn Murphy is still

in charge of the library of the institutes.

Gardening Hints At Ribstone W.I. Mtg

By Ribstone Women's Institute The regular meeting of the Ribstone W.I. was held in the Hall Saturday May 6th. Eleven members being present.

Meeting called to order by the President at 2.30. O Canada was sung and creed recited. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Correspondence read and commented upon; all bills to be paid.

Reports were given by some of the members who had tried some of the Housecleaning hints given at our last meeting. The president then announced the subject for the afternoon "Gardening". Members to answer to their names with some useful hint on gardening.

Mrs. R. Morrison—For early cucumbers make hills of well-rotted manure, then place a crock in centre of hill, bank soil firmly around it, lift out crock and plant seed in hole left, this can be done real early, keep well watered, and cover top of hole nights until danger of frost is over. The soil may then be raked down to allow the cucumbers a chance to run.

Mrs. J. Russel—For best results plant seeds on level ground in preference to drills, as it does not dry out as quickly, and have your garden plowed in fall.

Mrs. Etson—Draw a chain along the line to make your rows, drop in seed, cover with hoe, and pack firmly.

Mrs. Heasman—After making the mark to drop your seed in, water soil well, drop your seed in on the wet drill, cover and pack well.

Mrs. McCrea—When your tomatoes are well formed strip all the leaves off your vines, and the strength will go to the fruit and the tomatoes will ripen early.

Mrs. Clifford—When raising tomatoes plant the seed in very rich soil.

Mrs. Hurst—Before planting cabbage, onions, etc., sift wood ashes along the drills, to do away with the cut-worm.

Mrs. Blair—Try taking a can with a few holes punched in the bottom, put seed in and shake along the drill, you will get your seed in more evenly also for flowers put castor oil around plants and get rid of the white fly.

Mrs. Pound—Do continual hoeing, if possible the first thing in the morning.

Miss McLaughlin—Plant tomatoes, cucumbers, beans, all tender vegetables together as they can be covered more easily frosty nights, for celery have ground rich and keep well watered.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Etson and Mrs. Russel. The meeting closed with the singing of "God Save the King."

Dues 50c, collection \$1.10.

GARDENING

(By a Local Gardener)

Annuals that can be sown in the open, where they are intended to bloom.

The latter part of April and the first week in May weather conditions have been very favorable for the sowing of small seeds, the ground is warming up fine and there is good prospect of much more moisture than we have had at this season for some years past. The following is a list annuals, which, if sown out of doors under favorable conditions will prove very satisfactory.

MIGNONETTE, does best in a cool shaded position in rows or in beds, thin out to 10 inches. It is chiefly grown for its sweet fragrance.

VIRGINIAN STOCK. A low growing plant producing a great profusion of small pink and white flowers of small pink and white fragrant flowers, suitable for borders or masses, thin them to 6 inches apart. Likes a sunny exposure and a light warm soil.

CANDY TUFT of which there is many varieties, Iberis and Empress, which are the best producing large spikes of beautiful flowers, suitable for borders or for masses. Any good garden soil well worked and enriched with rotted manure is suitable. Thin out plants to 8 inches apart.

DOUBLE ZINNIA. An annual of strong robust habit, the flowers are large, distinct bright colors, of fine form and continue to bloom until destroyed by frost. They grow from 12 to 24 inches in height and are quite effective in masses planted 10 inches apart.

AQUILEGIA, or Columbine.—A very old favorite, which has been much improved of late years. It is of easy culture and a very free bloomer, height from 12 to 36 inches and makes a good background in a shady situation.

BARTONIA AUREA.—A showy annual of easy culture with attractive foliage and a profusion of bright golden yellow flowers. It prefers a light soil and a sunny exposure, thin out plants to 6 inches apart.

CALLIOPSIS.—An annual of graceful habit producing an abundance of flowers of many colors, very suitable for cutting for house decorations, of easy culture in almost any situation.

COMOS.—An attractive plant with finely cut foliage and large blooms ranging from pink to white, borne on long slender stems, suitable for cutting.

CALIFORNIA POPPY.—A very useful annual of low habit of growth producing a great amount of orange, yellow and crimson flowers early in the season, and continues until cut down by frost. Suitable for borders or masses, these plants 8 inches apart.

PHLOX DRUMMONDI.—A very showy and free blooming plant, flow-

ers are of various bright colors, from white to deep red, suitable for borders or masses, has a long season. Thin out to 8 inches.

Nasturtiums. (Dwarf Varieties).—Suitable for beds or borders, are of compact habit of growth and a great

range of color. Plant seeds 10 inches apart in a light well drained soil with a sunny exposure.

Onions, Peas, Beans, Beet, Lettuce, Parsnips, Garden Turnips, Carrots, and Cabbage should be sown as the ground warms up after the rain.

GROCERIES To Meet Mail Order Prices

AN OPEN INVITATION. We extend a hearty invitation to those intending to send away Grocery Orders to Mail Order Houses, to bring their list of groceries required and their catalogues; and let us figure on your order. We are prepared to fill your orders at mail order prices. We have already filled a number of such orders with satisfaction to our customers, and we wish to fill your orders on the same basis. We wish to make it quite clear that you are under no obligation to buy from us, even if we give you a quotation. We only desire to give you the very best of service and keep business in our own district. Can we make any more fair offer than this?

WHITE COOKING BEANS	3 lbs for	.25
SIAM RICE	3 lbs. for	.25
ROGERS SYRUP	5 lbs for	.65
ROGERS SYRUP	10 lbs for	1.25
ROGERS SYRUP	20 lbs for	2.45
CORN STARCH	2 for	.25
SILVER GLOSS STARCH		.15
GOLD SOAP	3 bars for	.25
PALM OLIVE SOAP	per bar	.10
BAKING SODA		.10
BAKING POWDER, Magic, 16 oz.		.40
BAKING POWDER, Blue Ribbon, 16 oz		.25
BAKING POWDER, Shields, 16oz.		.20
BAKING POWDER, Royal Shield, 16 oz.		.20
CORN		.20
PEAS		.20
TOMATOES	2 1-2 lb can for	.21
SEEDLESS RAISINS, Bulk,		.30
SEEDLESS BAISINS, 16 oz. package,		.30
B. C. SUGAR, 20lb. sack,		1.80
LUMP SUGAR,	per lb.	.10
ICING SUGAR	per lb	.10
B. C. SUGAR, 100lbs		8.75
EVAPORATED PRUNES,	per lb.	.20
EVAPORATED PEACHES	per lb.	.20
NIAGRA FALLS CANNED PITTED		
CHERRIES,	per can	.20
PURE HONEY,	5lb. pail	1.75

PURE HONEY, Straight from the Beehive, Direct from the Farm of David Roy, Quebec 5 lb pails for 1.75

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Buy a Ford. It is lowest in price lowest in maintenance cost, lowest in depreciation, and provides everything you can ask in a car.

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\$535.00

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J. A. CODE,

Chauvin

Ribstone Cash GROCERY SPECIALS

MAY 22nd to MAY 27th

EXCELSIOR DATES	2 pkts, for	.25
SWEET MIXED PICKLES	gallons	1.40
KADANA PURE COCOA	lb. pkts. each	.39
CHICKEN HADDIES		.25
PURE CASTILE SOAP	1 1/2 lb bars	.30
SWEET MIXED BISCUITS	per lb.	.30

Call in and look over our New Stock of IRON CLAD OVERALLS, SMOCKS, SHIRTS, Etc. —Prices Right—

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Too much doubt puts faith too rout

CHAUVIN DISTRICT FLOUR MILL

During the summer months, for the purpose of economy, the mill will be operated on

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The best attention will be devoted to your requirements as hitherto. Soliciting your trade.

G. SHANTZ, Proprietor

Standard Groceries AT COMPETITIVE PRICES



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The Store of a Hundred Savings
CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

Repairs & Plow Shares

We have a **LARGE STOCK OF SHARES ON HAND** for the following Plows:—**Oliver, Hamilton, P. & O.,** and seven makes of **Massey Harris Plows**—Our **REPAIR STOCK** in the **I. H. C., Massey Harris,** and **Ford Lines** is as near complete as possible and will now be able to give **PROMPT SERVICE** in the above mentioned lines.

J. A. Proctor,

Artland.

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Your Summer Tour

VIA THE
CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

TO THE

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Through Canadian Rockies, Choice of Routes on Land and Sea, going or returning. A magnificent 750 mile ocean voyage between Prince Rupert, Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, may be taken.

EASTERN CANADA

All Rail and Lake and rail, Choice of Routes. See Toronto — Quaint Old Quebec. The 1000 Islands and the magnificent Niagara Falls. Sail down the St. Lawrence.

Canadian National Trains cross the Rockies at the lowest altitude, the easiest gradients, and in view of Canada's Highest Peaks.

Break your Coast Journey—STAY A FEW DAYS AT
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OPEN JUNE 15th to SEPTEMBER 15th
Modern in Every Respect. Dancing Pavilion. Commands a Wonderful View of all the prominent Mountain Peaks

On your Trip to the East have your travel plans include a few days at
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District Passenger Agent
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FOR SERVICE

Canadian National Railways

FOR COMFORT

Manitou Lake Council Meeting

(Continued from Front page)

Secretary was ordered to reply to the letter and to return the bills for April less the maternity cases.

POUNDS (BRANDS)

The Secretary was asked to order copies of the new Brand supplement sufficient for all pounds and the office.

ROADWAYS FENCING

A letter from Mr. E. Lee was council to let him fence in the road allowance south and east of the S½ 14-45-28-w3rd, as this is not, and will not be used his request was granted.

CANCELLATION OF TAXES

Roll tax arrears on the following lands were ordered cancelled as the land has returned to the government:

S.W. 15-45-27 w3rd.

N.W. 14-44-27 w3rd

S.W. 24-46-25 w3rd

REPORT OF M.H.O.

A report from Dr. Folkins regarding a suspected case of measles was laid before the council also Dr. Folkins report upon the recent cases of diphtheria in the south western portion of the Municipality.

MENTION OUR ADVERTISEMENTS

REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS P.H.A.

Correspondence and telegrams regarding the matter of attendance at a recent funeral were laid before the council by the Secretary.

REPORT OF FIN. COMMITTEE.

A full report of the proceedings regarding the current loan was laid before the council by the Secretary.

STATISTICS

The following statistics were laid before the council by the Secretary: Seed grain standing and collections since December 31st last.

Collections of Municipal arrears to end of March for 1920, 1921, 1922, showing percentages.

Percentage of Expenditures on the different items for the years 1920, 1921 Roadwork appropriations for 1922. 1919, 1920, and 1921 showing average school levy and average mill rate per year, average mill rate levy for the four years, raise in mill rate since 1918.

School Expenditures (less Debentures) 1921 showing average amount paid on different items and percentage of expenditure on different items.

BILLS PASSED

The following bills were passed for payment:

Stationery \$31.50

Gopher Poison 86.62

Hospital (Foley) \$53.00;

Lavold \$16.00

Lashburn Hosp. 249.00) . . 316.00

Roads Div. 3 3.00

COURT OF APPEAL ASSESSMENT

The council sitting now as a court of Appeal of Assessment disposed of the appeals on account of assessment as follows:

Lowered N.E. 16-46-25 w3rd to \$1600.00.

Lowered S.E. 55-43-27 w3rd to \$1600.00

Lowered N.E. 30-45-27 w3rd to \$1000.00.

On the following lands upon which appeals were made no alteration of assessment was allowed and the assessment therefor stands as levied:

N.W. 28-46-25 w3rd; N.E. 32-46-25 w3rd; N.W. 24-44-28 w3rd; N.W. 1-45-28 w3rd; S.W. 15-44-27 w3rd; S.W. 16-46-25 w3rd; N.E. 24-46-25 w3rd; S.W. 14-43-28 w3rd; W½ 5-44-27 W3rd; E½ 31-43-27 W3rd; N.W. 30-46-26 W3rd.

On motion to adjourn the council adjourned to meet again on Wednesday, June 14th 1922.

Mr. "What in thunder is the baby making all that row about? What's the little beggar got hold of?"

Mrs. "I gave him the coal scuttle and stove poker to play with. That seemed to be about the only way to keep him quiet!"

Agricultural Society Directors Meeting

The directors of Chauvin Agricultural Society held a meeting on Saturday, May 6th in A. E. Keiths office. President, N. Sthachan in the chair.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and on motion Dr. Folkins—A. E. Keith were adopted as read.

Moved Dr. Folkins—A. E. Keith that the insurance for the buildings be accepted. Carried.

Moved E. A. Pitman—W. Petrie that we accept the medals ordered by the Canadian Clydesdales Association provided they take the decision of the government judge. Carried.

Correspondence was read from the Department of Agriculture, also a model Prize List issued by direction of the minister of agriculture was read and discussed, after which it was decided to leave our prize list as it was, as there was no radical difference between it and the model one.

The Secretary reported that the government grant had been received government grant of \$833.20 had been received and paid on the note at the bank.

The Alberta Dragoons asked for the use of the fair grounds for drill purposes. Their request was granted on motion of Mr. Keith—Mr. Young.

The G.W.V.A. rented booth for July 17th.

The following members were present:—President N. Strachan, Mrs. Armour, Mr. Keith, Dr. Folkins, E. A. Pitman, W. Petrie, Geo. Snell, H. Young, Reeve Ferguson.

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MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

PURSUANT to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by the Lands Titles Act under a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale. There will be offered for sale by public auction by A. R. Foxwell, Chauvin Hall, in the Village of Chauvin, in the Province of Alberta, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 3rd 1922 at the hour of 3 o'clock, in the afternoon, the following property, namely:—

The North-east Quarter of Section (30), Township Forty-two (42), Range One (1), West of the Fourth Meridian, in the said Province.

as shown upon a map or plan of survey of the said Township approved and confirmed at Ottawa on the 12th day of December A.D. 1904, by Edouard Deville, Surveyor-General of Dominion Lands and of record in the Department of the Interior, containing by admeasurement One Hundred and fifty-nine (159) acres more or less. Reserving unto His Majesty, His Successors and Assigns all mines and minerals.

Terms of sale to be 10 per cent cash at the time of the sale and the bal-

ance in 60 days or \$650 may remain on mortgage at 9 per cent interest payable \$25.00 yearly with interest and balance in five years.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserved bid and free from all encumbrances save taxes for the current year.

The Vendor is informed that the above property is situated about two and a half miles from the Village of Chauvin, where there is an elevator church and school, and about ninety acres are under cultivation, thirty being fenced for pasture with 2 strands of barbed wire, and the land is fenced on three sides with 3 strands of barbed wire.

The buildings consist of frame dwelling one and a half story 16 x 20 frame barn 16 x 20 and chicken house 14 x 12 and good well.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to EMERY, NEWELL, FORD & LINDSAY, Solicitors, Canada Permanent Building, Edmonton, Alberta.

APPROVED:

A. T. KINNARD

Dep. Registrar

VILLAGE OF CHAUVIN

Debenture

A petition to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of the Province of Alberta.

WE the Electors of the Village of Chauvin who are at the date of this Petition resident within the Village or within two miles of the boundaries thereof.

Whereas it is deemed expedient to borrow by way of Debenture the sum of Twenty Five Hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) on the security of the Village of Chauvin.

For the purpose of Building Sidewalks, Grading the Streets and Building a Skating and Curling Rink.

Sidewalks to be constructed in the following places:

(1) The North side of 2nd Avenue from Main Street to King Street.

(2) The South side of 2nd Avenue from Main Street to Imperial Lumber Company Office.

(3) The West side of Main Street from the present end of sidewalk to 3rd Avenue.

(4) The East side of Main Street from present end of sidewalk to 3rd Avenue.

(5) Grading and improving the Streets.

(6) Erecting a Skating and Curling Rink.

Signature of the eligible Electors of the Village of Chauvin.

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Progressives
In Parliament

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The Progressive leader also demonstrated that the prosperity of Canada was dependent on the prosperity of agriculture, the country's basic industry: for the factories of the east could not expect to be busy as long

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(Truth) for his text. Rev. J. A. Smith gave a splendid address on some of the principles of Oddfellowship. A vocal duet (My Task) was ably sung by the Misses Ptolemy and Maddocks. The choir is to be complimented for the way they sang that beautiful Anthem "Take Up They Cross", and last, but not least, Mr. Hayes was never in better voice than while singing his solo "My God, My Father, Thy Will be Done". After the service, Mr. E. A. Ripley, D.D.G.M. who was in charge, invited the visiting members to the Edgerton Flock to partake of light refreshments. In the writers estimation, affairs of this class and character tend to cement the principles embodied in fraternalism, and inculcates in the minds of the rank and file, the precepts that fraternal societies teach.

Sale Postponed

On account of the rain the sale of stock and implements in Fairbanks Morse vs Harry A. Waugh, W ½ Sec. 32-42-3-4 at Bradley Hunts farm is postponed to 2.30 p.m. Monday, May 22nd 1922.

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Public notice is hereby given that all chickens, hens, turkeys, ducks, etc. are prohibited from running at large in the Village of Chauvin.

By order of the Village Council.
H. N. FREEMAN, Secy.-Treas.
Village of Chauvin

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Public Notice

Public notice is hereby given that ashes, tin cans, and other refuse must be cleaned up from all premises within the Village limits by May 1st 1922.

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BUTZEVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3794

Tenders Invited

Tenders are invited for the painting of the school building and out houses, 16 x 26, 8 ft. walls, Priming Coat and one coat of shingle stain.

Tenders will be received until May 25th by the undersigned,
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THERE'S NOTHING MYSTERIOUS ABOUT IT. Just the old law of supply and demand—and a willingness on our part to play fair with our customer friends by reducing our prices to a point where you can afford to buy.

RIGHT NOW YOUR PROBLEM may be a barn, a shed, or other building necessary to help you do your work better, more quickly, or more economically. Or it may mean a new home, or repairing and remodeling the old one.

BRING YOUR PROBLEM TO US. Let us show you the facts. We have many plans and suggestion, some of which you can probably use, and our friendly counsel and assistance won't obligate in any way.

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19th Alberta Dragoons

The inclemency of the weather last Saturday did not preclude the "C" squadron of the 19th Alberta Dragoons from turning out to parade on Saturday evening. Instead of a parade Major Strachan decided to adjourn to the G. W. V. A. hall and gave a lecture.

There will be a parade every Saturday evening until further notice.

Quite a number have already enrolled to attend training camp at Sarcee (Calgary) this summer, and it is hoped that Chauvin will turn out to camp at least sixty strong.

NOTICE

All members intending to attend Camp at Sarcee this year must hand in their names to Sgt. Saul not later than Saturday, May 20th

MAJ. H. STRACHAN, V.C.
O.C. C. Squadron.

Chauvin High School Breezes

Ahem! Owing to the inclemency of the elements, the pupils from the suburbs of the city of Chauvin were unable to attend classes.

Eddie Cahill, our agriculturalist made an interesting declaration the other day. He says that the horse is related to the cow and the cow to the plow. Wonder what the horse would say to this.

Eileen has joined the army of those who give advice on the destruction of grasshoppers. Her method follows: Catch the grasshopper, place on stone, hold hand over him to prevent his escape, reach for another stone. Bang! and all is over. Necessary implements perseverance and quick action.

There is nothing wrong with this idea so long as the supply of stones and patience lasts out.

What's that! You see thumb prints on our books? How are we to prevent this when we have a soapless school. About one mill on the dollar added to our taxes would provide us with enough soap, we think. But's terrible.

Mother's Day was remembered by the H.S. Girls who sold flowers in Chauvin on Saturday.

The H.S. Girls intend to play the Specials on Thursday, their game having been postponed owing to wet weather.

Jack: "Suppose you kiss a girl and she tells her mother?"
Leslie: "Well!"
"What would you do then?"
"Be a sport and give the old lady a kiss."

Have you tried The Chauvin Bakery?

Alberta 1921 Crop Below 10 Yr Average

Returns of crop yields for 1921, have now been compiled by the agricultural department from reports given from 3114 threshing rigs in the province. While this includes about only three-fourths of the threshing rigs in the province, the averages compiled from these returns give a good general indication of the average yields over the whole province for 1921. The returns from the 3114 machines give a total yield of all grains of 56,447,972 bushels. A comparison of the average yields of various grains for 1921 with the average yields for the 10 years previous is interesting.

AVERAGE	1921	10 yrs
Winter Wheat	20.98	20.55
Spring Wheat	11.76	18.53
Oats	30.13	35.09
Barley	23.56	25.15
Rye	11.07	19.45
Flax	4.78	7.73

Coal Production

Increased production of coal during the month of February is shown by returns made. The production for February of this year was 150,108 tons more than in February of 1921. The total production of all coals was 615,594 tons compared with 465,486 tons for February of 1921.

"I personally am not the least bit offended at the sight of people dozing during my sermon," said a London clergyman, the Rev H. R. L. Sheppard, recently.

Market Prices

SECURITY ELEVATOR, CHAUVIN

2 p.m., Tuesday May 16th 1922

Wheat		
No. 1. Northern	1.13	
No. 2. Northern	1.10	
No. 3. Northern	1.08	
Oats		
No. 2. C. W.	.36	
Barley		
No. 3. C. W.	.45	
Rye		
No. 2. C. W.	.80	
Flax		
No. 1. N. W.	2.15	

Pound Notice

To whom the same may concern:

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of power granted under Section 24 of 'The Stray Animals Act' and of By-law of the Rural Municipality of Manitou Lake No. 442. One dark iron grey stallion, rising three years, small star. No visible brand. was impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned on the N.E. 14-44-28 w3rd, on Thursday the 11th day of May 1922.

S. R. SWINDELL, Poundkeeper
Dated, May 11th 1922.

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FOR SALE: SECOND HAND MILITARY Tent. in good order. Apply U.G.G. Elevator, Chauvin.

FOR SALE: SOME GOOD YOUNG WORK HORSES: Clyde grades, mares and geldings. Cash or good Bankable paper. W. Pritchett, S.W. 24-45-28-w3rd., Artland, Sask. 16x3

FOR SALE: DOHERTY ORGAN, IN Good tune and best condition, W. O. Harris, Chauvin, 414p

FOR SALE: 3 h.h. OLDS ENGINE, practically new. W. O. Harrie, Chauvin. 414p

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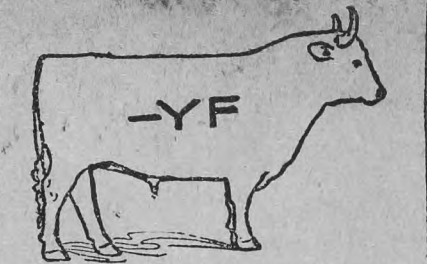
EGGS FOR HATCHING: FROM selected pen White Wyandottes, 75c per setting or three settings for \$2.00 Orders booked for Turkey eggs 30c. each or \$2.00 per setting of 7 from choice stock. A. E. Pitman, Chauvin.

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FOR SALE: S. C. AND R. C. White Leghorn Cockerels, purebred, T. H. Smith (Lakeside) S.W. 16-43-1w4 Box 188, Chauvin.

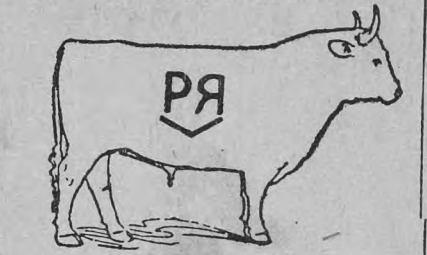
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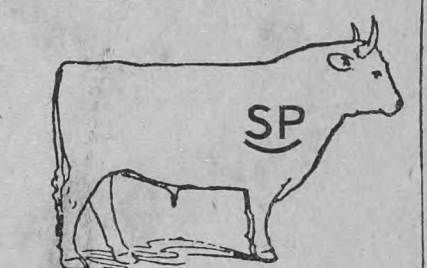
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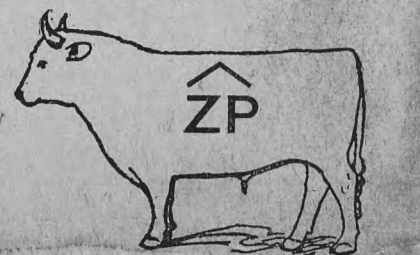
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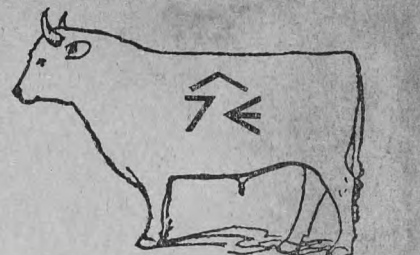
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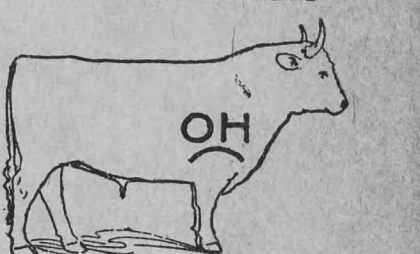
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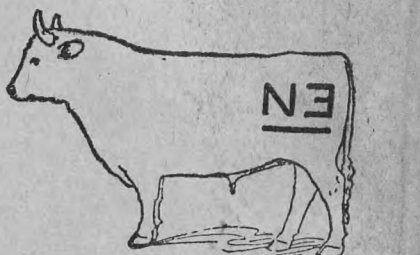
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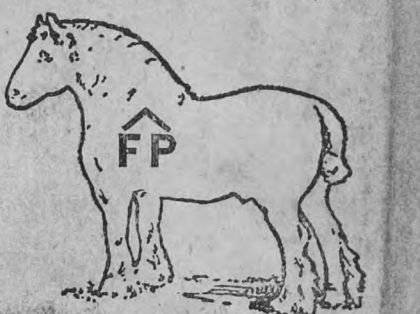
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